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NARBETT AND BUILDERS' ARGUE

Architect, in Long Statement, Comes Back at Thirty-eight Men Who Scored Him in Letter to School Dads.

KNOTT IS MADE "GOAT" IN ANSWER TO CHARGES

Claims That Men Refused to Do Work Properly and That Is Why He Took the Action Complained Of.

Yesterday was an interesting day for Architect James T. Narbett. He hardly waited for his breakfast to settle before he began to fuss and storm, and before the dinner bell had rang he had told a number of friends as to how he was going to sue the thirty-eight builders for libel, and had prepared a lengthy statement, in which he poured forth his feelings.

Zet Knott, the painter, was given the severest rebuff in Narbett's outburst. "I defy Mr. Knott to prove that he performed his work on the new Elks' building according to specifications," is the way his statement read. Then he continues to state that he had explicit confidence in Knott at the beginning, but found certain portions of his work had to be done over again.

Then Narbett continues: "On the list of contractors who signed the remonstrance filed with the Board of Education there are but six or seven who have had any direct dealings with me in the building line. Some of the signers of the protest are laborers; one is a teamster; and a majority of them I do not know at all.

"In the heading of the petition it is stated that it has been understood that I was to be employed to design the new school buildings, or to act in the capacity of architectural advisor. This is an erroneous statement, as I have had no such promises from the school board or from any member thereof. I was employed by the board to prepare tentative plans upon which the cost of the several buildings projected could be based and I was given to understand that I was to be paid for the work."

Meanwhile the contractors and builders have thrown down the gauntlet to the school board and the contractor and there is expected to be some real excitement before long. In fact the rumpus has just begun.

RICHMOND EAGLES ARE VERY ACTIVE

The local order of Eagles is besieged with applications for membership. At last night's meeting, held in A. O. U. W. Hall, five more applications were received. At a big class initiation to be held in the near future it is expected that over a score of members will be inducted into the order.

The local Eagles' Drum Corps will leave for San Jose at 5:47 Saturday night. In the Garden City they will participate in a monster parade. Every Eagles' drum corps in the state will be in San Jose and will take part in the festivities there.

On the night of April 8 the members of the local Aerie will journey to Fruitvale to be present at the exercises the neighboring lodge is planning in honor of its eighth anniversary. The Richmond Eagles plan to charter a special car in which to make the trip. The local Aerie has journeyed to Fruitvale before, and the members were so pleased with the reception accorded them that when an invitation was received here to be present it was unanimously decided to attend in a body.

BOURBON RECORD PUT TO SHAME



Politics, real politics, not dirty, back-biting politics, but the kind that the great American public likes, now holds the center of the stage in the local order of Native Sons. The political bee is buzzing overtime within the ranks of the Natives.

And all over the election of the second delegate to the Grand Parlor of the lodge.

Three men are out for one office. And that means the inevitable—a hot old contest, in which every wire there is to be pulled will be yanked until it serves its purpose.

Wednesday night the Natives put the Democratic National Convention to shame. Twenty-seven times did the sons of the Golden West ballot for that second delegate.

Three men are in the race—Bob C. Erwin, F. C. Patterson and W. J. Lane.

Depend upon it that each one of the three men is fast finding out who his friends are, and just bet your bottom dollar that every one of the aforementioned friends will be present at the special meeting of the order to be held in Bank Hall Monday night, when the election of the delegate will again come up.

NEWS WAS RIGHT; MISS CRAVEN IS BRIDE

Confirming in every particular the story which appeared in the News several days ago, Harry W. Scharkopf, accompanied by his bride, who was formerly Miss Jeane Craven, who conducts a well known Richmond hospital, arrived home from a short honeymoon yesterday, and announced their marriage to their many friends in this city. Last Monday afternoon the nuptial knot was tied in San Francisco by Rev. Mitchell of the First Christ Church.

The bride is well known in Richmond, where she has resided for some time. The groom is a San Francisco businessman. Both contracting parties have a wide acquaintance in bay circles. The couple will live here.

YEOMEN PLAN A BIG TIME THURS.

At the meeting of the local order of Yeomen, to be held in Pythian Castle next Thursday night, the lodge will conduct a monster initiation. Of late a large number of applications for admittance into the order have been made, and so the members of the popular order decided to hold the monster initiation.

State Manager Elliot of San Francisco will be present at the ceremonies. Following the initiatory exercises and business meeting a banquet will be served.

Dr. Homer Woodruff, osteopath, office at residence, 401 Bissell avenue. Telephone 784, Richmond, Cal.

SAY POTTERY PLANT IS HERE

Crew of Men Start Work on Site of Richmond Chemical Company and Rumor Has It Firm Is Coming.

FLOWER POTS MAY BE MANUFACTURED IN CITY

Statements Are Refused, But Many Declare That Big Works Has Already Been Planned.

That a pottery works will soon be started in Richmond was the story which seemed to have general circulation yesterday. The company is said to have taken over the land of the Richmond Chemical Company, in the rear of the Santa Fe freight yards.

Yesterday there were a large number of men there, but all refused to make any statement, declaring that they were not in a position to do so, as they were hired to work and not to tell what they knew.

The site is at the end of the Belt railroad and it is said that a plant is to be started to manufacture fancy and plain flower pots.

FARGO OUTFIT IS REMOVED TO ALAMEDA

Acting upon advice from the police department, Wells Fargo & Co. have shipped the Fargo bank outfit, which caused so much discussion recently, to Alameda. No one applied for the apparatus and as the police did not intend to keep watching it the move was undertaken.

It is understood that an amusement company is handling the outfit and that it has its headquarters in Alameda.

IS OPERATED UPON.

Appendicitis was the cause of an operation performed on C. J. McCrary, who resides at the Stenmark House on Fifteenth street, late yesterday afternoon by Dr. Vestal. The patient is expected to recover from the operation shortly.

LOOKING INTO THE DEDICATION OF STREETS

City Engineer Chapman and City Attorney Hall are now busy investigating whether or not every street in the city is dedicated. An interesting question has arisen concerning Downer avenue, Nadeau, Dumont nad Alvarado streets.

A petition for the improvement of these streets with storm and sanitary sewers, bitulithic pavement, concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks is now before the council, and the question of whether or not these streets were ever dedicated has arisen.

This unexpected problem caused the council to get busy and instruct the two officials to look carefully over the conditions with regard to all the other streets.

David Horvitz, who has in past years become well known on the west side of town, leaves for El Paso this morning, where he will take a position as traveling salesman for the Mathias Clothing Company. He has been assigned very desirable territory in Arizona, New Mexico and Mexico, and as he is an experienced hand at the selling line he is glad to get back into the game.

HICHBORN CLOSES MAZZA CAMPAIGN

John J. Mazza, Progressive candidate in the recall election of next Tuesday, fired his final gun in the campaign at the Lincoln School auditorium last evening, and judging from the great applause he received he is going to the polls firmly convinced that on next Wednesday he will be chosen to succeed James C. Owens.

Mazza did not mince words when once he had ascended the platform. He gave thirteen reasons why he should be chosen. First of all, he stated that there were two separate and distinct questions for the voters to answer on Tuesday. One was, "Shall James C. Owens be recalled?" and the other, "Who shall succeed him?"

Mazza declared that he was a Progressive because he believed the state should progress. He told of how the present administration took the state government out of the hands of the Southern Pacific and gave it back to the people.

He then told of the importance of the initiative, referendum and recall and how the Board of Control has saved \$1,500,000 to the state in the costs of running the government.

ATTORNEYS TALK OVER MOONEY HEARING

That a bitter legal war is to be waged in the Superior Court of this county for the release of Thomas Mooney is shown by the number of attorneys secured to conduct his defense. Attorney Harry B. Lister, Attorney Maxwell McNutt, formerly assistant district attorney of San Francisco, and Assemblyman T. D. Johnston have been secured to conduct the defense.

These three are holding regular meetings and intend to get their case well outlined so that when the trial begins on Tuesday next they can be prepared to offset the testimony expected to be given by Pinkerton detectives.

If Mooney succeeds or not in getting clear, the other two defendants will go to trial.

RAILS ARE HERE FOR MINIATURE RAILWAY

Steel rails arrived yesterday and another locomotive is now on the way to complete the miniature railway which will soon furnish plenty of exciting moments for the children attending the Montana avenue school. The engine is being shipped from Bethany, near Tracy, and Superintendent Carrillo announced yesterday that it will be added to the big machinery now about the municipal tunnel by Monday.

The rails for the line to run to the rear of the school will be laid immediately and by the end of next week the dirt hauling will be in full blast. Two locomotives will be kept going all the time and will be loaded by the steam shovel as rapidly as they pull up to the tunnel entrance.

FILTERS TALKED FOR HOURS AT BOARD

Filters were the sole topic of discussion at the meeting of the water board last evening, and the upshot of the whole evening's work was that a committee was appointed to go to Oakland and San Francisco and see the various filters operate, so that they would be eligible to select the one they desire.

C. W. Braun, of the company of



JOHN J. MAZZA

the costs of running the government. For some time he spoke of the workmen's compensation bill. He compared the number of persons

that name, has promised to take the committee to the Presidio in San Francisco, where it can see the filters of his company work. Those on the committee are Commissioners Willis, Timmins, Hall, Tibbetts and Chandler. The trip will be made Sunday afternoon.

The consensus of opinion of the commissioners was that a mechanical, rather than a gravity sand filter should be secured. The commission will meet again next Thursday evening to decide where to place the filters.

TANGOERS REVEL AT PYTHIAN CASTLE

That the management of the Richmond Social and Tango Club is holding its own in the fight for public patronage was shown last night, when a large throng of merry dancers attended the party given by the club in Pythian Castle. The affair was by far the most successful yet given by the new dancing organization. The latest dances were danced until a late hour. Novices at the tango and hesitation were given instructions.

TWIN BABY BOY DIES.

Much of the pleasure of the past few days was removed from the lives of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Sears, 315 Fifteenth street, yesterday, when one of the twin sons, born last Monday, passed away. The other child is very healthy and the mother is doing well.

STEGE RESIDENTS WANT BETTER SERVICE

In an effort to give the residents of Stege and other small communities adjacent to Richmond a better telephone service, City Attorney Hall, in compliance with the request, made by the City Council, has written to the head offices of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph Co. regarding the matter.

Residents of Stege have recently made complaint that in order to telephone to Richmond they are compelled to get the central in Oakland, which not only takes a longer time than if the subscribers there were given regular city service, but is more expensive than if they were placed on the same basis as the telephone users of Richmond.

SMITH BUYS HOME.
By a deal consummated yesterday Raymond M. Smith has purchased a house and lot on Twenty-first street, at a price said to be in the neighborhood of \$3000. The deal was engineered by Lester & Plate.

killed in this state yearly with the number which fell in the Gettysburg battle, and showed that there were only 7000 slain then, while two million fall into the grave from accidents every year throughout the nation.

The Railroad Commission was dwelt upon briefly, and he showed that it was saving to the state six millions a year. He told of the many labor measures which the Progressive Legislature had passed and how the administration is administering to the welfare of the toiler.

Of the women suffrage bill, he declared that it was one of the best measures put through by his party. The eight hour law for women he branded as an ideal and the old age insurance, mother's pension and

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STATE ASKS CITY TO INSURE ITS EMPLOYEES

In a communication, addressed to the City Council, C. W. Fellows, manager of the State Compensation Insurance Fund, calls attention to the fact that the city of Richmond has not insured its employees and asks to be advised as to the intentions of the city in the matter.

The question will be taken up at a special meeting of the board in the near future. The proposition which the state makes is to insure the city against all damages resulting from injuries to employees.

If adopted it will keep the city clear of all blame, for as soon as a claim is presented state officials come here and investigate it and then indemnify the party as they believe is just. This removes all the blame from the city's shoulders and the injured person deals directly with the state. If there is any profit made by the state during the year it is distributed among the cities insuring with it.

MAKING PLANS FOR SHOOT ON 5TH

Great plans are being made by the members of the Richmond Gun Club for the shoot that the club will hold with the Alhambra Valley Gun Club of Martinez on the latter's traps on April 5. A barbecue and feed has been arranged for by the Martinez gunsters.

The local gun club will hold a practice shoot next Sunday morning at the old ball park on the west side.

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LET US STAND TOGETHER.

We trust that the remarks of Judge Hannum before the Sequoia Club will not prove to have fallen upon unappreciative ears. The secret of municipal success as well as success in any other line is standing together. It is the realization of the old motto: "United we stand; divided we fall." The first aim of every resident of Richmond must be to build up and increase the population of the town, and secondly, to retain as much of the money of the community at home as possible.

To accomplish both these objects the town must be made very attractive. Richmond has to compete with very strong contra attractions. She has San Francisco with a thousand amusements only an hour away, and she has Oakland a good second to the Bay Metropolis still nearer. To retain the population here she must be up and doing.

And first in the order of attractions is to beautify the City. The Park Commission has the matter in hand and we expect great things from it very soon. The streets should all be planted with trees, and there should be a line of electroliners on either side of the principal streets between the trees. Then there will be a beautiful place for a promenade, and people will go out walking in Richmond instead of taking the cars and walking in San Francisco or Oakland; then we need a fine public park. The park should be so situated that people can get there very easily and advantage should be taken of the beautiful sea view to add one very great attraction to the park where ever it is located. We should have public baths, which we have discussed elsewhere, and then we need cheaper carfare which keeps many people who would like to live here from making their homes with us.

All of those things cost money, some body has said. Yes, that is true, but the business man does not consider the cost of an innovation only, he asks first of all, will it pay? If the answer is, it will, then D—n the cost. And so with our public affairs, if they will pay then why should we worry?

It can not be necessary to demonstrate at any great length that the more beautiful a woman the more attractive she is, and as with a town, the more beautiful a city is, the more attractive its appearance the more people will want to live there.

There is no reason why Richmond should not attract just as many suburbanites as Alameda. We have just as good a climate, and the tide lands are just as much in evidence on that side of the bay as here. But we must drain our lots and get rid of our mosquitoes, on that point there can be no contest. Every lot in the city should be higher than the side walks adjoining, and until that improvement is accomplished the city will never escape being unsightly in Winter after the rains.

Then there is another matter along the line of beautifying, that the women's clubs are particularly fitted to take up, and that is to urge every one to beautify their own property and homes. We need, and need badly, more flowers and more natural beauties of that character along our streets. Alameda sets us a fine example in that respect and so do many other towns far smaller than Richmond.

A good way to accomplish those floral improvements is to establish a club in a neighborhood and have everyone combine. Then order the flowers for all the block together, and have one or two men set them out, or if you want to set them out yourself, why do so, but they can be bought cheaper by wholesale, and the cost of transportation will be less. Bulbs and other plants are now allowed to go through the parcel post. The government distributes a lot of seeds free and all anyone who reads this notice has to do is to sit down and address a letter to

HON. C. F. CURRY, M. C.,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

and the congressman will we are sure be only to glad to send seeds to the person asking for them. The government also distributes pamphlets on the subject of seed planting and Congressman Curry will get those without cost for any of his constituents asking for them. All that costs nothing but the two cent stamp for a letter to Washington. The government does the rest.

Poverty can not be claimed as an excuse for not beautifying your property. The improvement of individual yards and gardens will do an immense work towards redeeming the town from its present appearance. But we need not stop there; our streets should have been parked when they were laid out, but since it is too late to remedy that now, the planting of trees and the other improvements suggested will do much to make Richmond a modern city and a very attractive one.

But all that will cost money, we are told again. Certainly, but it is money well spent and that will come back to the city many times over. Every newcomer means an improvement for those who are already here. Because his arrival increases the value of property, increases the working force of the community and increases the number of those who are to bear the burden of improvements which decrease for the individual consequently.

The solution of the problem of how to improve is to follow the advice of Judge Hannum and stand together. The cost may be large in the aggregate but it will not be large in the case of each individual and consequently can be easily born by each taxpayer without inflicting any hardship. We must adopt the tactics of the Los Angeles people who with much less than we have to boast about, naturally, and with no better climate, and a far inferior country, have increased the value of desert land to \$1,0000 an acre, and turned a sparsely settled country into one with the densest population almost in the United States. They stand together. There is the solution of the

whole problem. They never knock the country, and they never knock their neighbors to outsiders. They fight among themselves with all the bitterness of the famous Kilkenny cats, but they never let that feeling interfere with booming the country, or selling real estate. Their motives may not be very patriotic, and they may leave much to be desired, but they are past-masters in the art of making a country progress and we can not do better than to imitate them. At the same time it is well to understand that their great secret is contained in that central idea of standing together.

CALIFORNIA IS PROGRESSIVE.

While the Progressive party has not registered as many names as the Republicans, that does not mean that the people of California are repudiating the splendid record of the Progressive Legislatures that for two years have made the laws of the state, or that they propose to have California return to the conditions that existed here before the present revolution took place. On the contrary, they propose to continue the good work, and among the many measures that will be submitted to the people in November are several new measures that are distinctly progressive in their tendencies.

It is important, therefore, that the next Legislature and the lawmakers should all be progressives in tendencies, even if some of them be Democratic nominally. In fact in future all legislatures should be progressive in their tendencies, because we shall always need to progress. A state or nation cannot stand still; it must either progress forward or retrograde backward.

What measures we shall need in the future, of course no man can tell, but that there will always be need of improvement is of course certain. The ideal is yet a long way off.

What is true of the local Legislature is of course true of the national. The state needs at Washington a great many things. To secure them it needs active men in the National Capital. It is all very well to denounce federal appropriations as "the pork barrel," but there is no reason why the national government should not continue the policy of improving the harbors and rivers of the country, and there is no reason why the representatives of the various states should not look after local interests when the appropriation bills are being prepared. That is not opposed to any progressive or wise policy.

In the Senate it is also important that the state should be represented by hard workers and men of broad and progressive ideas, and since this year California is to elect for the first time its senator by popular vote, it should send to Washington a man who will fully and adequately represent the progressive element which is so characteristic of the state. For that reason we should regret to see either of the Republican candidates elected. While Sam Shortridge is a charming speaker and a most delightful conversationalist, he is a reactionary of the most pronounced type and his election to the upper chamber in Washington would be taken as a notice that California was stepping backward, not forward, in the march of progress. It is understood, of course, that behind Mr. Shortridge stands Mr. J. D. Spreckels and undoubtedly General Otis will also lend his valuable aid to the genial Sam's candidacy. It was also with regret, for the same reason, that we saw the announcement that Congressman Knowland was also a candidate for the Senate. The congressman has served the district well in the House of Representatives and there he could no doubt have continued indefinitely, but congressman and senator are quite different positions and the state of California will hesitate to send to Washington a man who only a few years ago—at the time of the state convention at Santa Cruz—the most notorious convention in the history of the state, and he one which really was the cause of the formation of the Progressive party in this state—who we say on that occasion had himself publicly photographed with Abe Ruef and all the reactionary bosses in the state, and who stood so high in their councils that he was one of the few invited guests at the famous Major McLaughlin dinner, the photograph of which was such a potent campaign document for the Democrats in the campaign of 1906, and would have elected Theodore Bell governor if Hearst had not come to the rescue with his Independent party ticket and former District Attorney Langdon, now of Modesto, but then of San Francisco, as an imaginary candidate for governor. There can be no question but that we shall have the famous photograph once more injected into the politics of the state campaign, that we shall have another unpleasant contest with all the story of the Santa Cruz convention rehearsed once more. It would have been better and wiser for Mr. Knowland to have let well enough alone. The next senator must be a progressive man, one who at Washington will represent the real public opinion of this progressive state.

THE OWENS CAMPAIGN.

The closing of the Owens campaign finds a curious condition of affairs. The senator has not yet made any reply to the many charges that have been made and he has even gone so far to practically admit them all. Never in the history of the state can we recall an election which there was less effort at any defense or explanation by a candidate of his record or position than James C. Owens has put forth this campaign.

To statements that were clear and specific he has put forth only abuse, or ridiculous scriptural quotations that made him more absurd than ever. He has had himself compared to the adultery of the Bible, and we shall not be surprised to learn that he is Lazarus in disguise before we get through, but any manly, honest answer to the charges he has not either made or attempted to make. He has not had the nerve to answer them even specifically in print, the only answer he has ever attempted is low abuse, and vilification, or allegations that the measures he voted against were of no importance, and that he was pleasing the majority of his constituents by voting as he did. But even more serious than the way he voted is the way he did not vote. The dodging record of Senator Owens is the greatest in all the history of the legislature of California and we defy him to point to one man in all the years that this state has had a legislature who neglected his duty more persistently and more continuously than he did during the last session of the legislature.

What he was doing while his colleagues were working he has not dared to tell. Perhaps he was praying, but we doubt it. He certainly was not working on the "seven important" committees to which he claimed he belonged, because if he had been his colleagues on those committees would of necessity have had to be absent as much as he was and none of them were. James C. Owens knows that his committee work was as much neglected as his work on the floor of the senate and that he neither attended to his duties as a legislator on or off the floor; he was busy perhaps keeping up his reputation as a good fellow, or he was busy taking orders of how he should vote to keep women working sixteen hours a day in canneries, or how to kill the em-

ployers' liability bill. He certainly was not busy to help those constituents whom he pledged himself to stand by August 18th, 1912.

With such a record for neglect of duty, because it was not incompetency—Owens is not incompetent—there should not be any question of his recall and there will not be. Owens now claims that the big corporations, and the liquor interests, are for him, and says that because this paper advocated a clean, decent city, that those who are opposed to that policy will support him. What a plea! How have the mighty fallen.

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Parental blessings have been be-
stowed upon Mrs. Charles A. Joy and
Mrs. John P. Hall, two popular
Berkeley girls who yesterday sur-
prised their parents and friends with
the announcement of their marriages.
The two brides were respectively
Miss Louise Burch and Miss Mary
Hillman, Miss Burch being the daugh-
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burch and
a sister of Miss Beryl Burch, who
recently married Dr. Max Truman
Smith. Miss Hillman is the daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hillman of
Elmwood avenue.

The double elopement ended with
the marriage of the two girls at Mar-
tinez last Monday afternoon, both
Miss Burch and Miss Hillman re-
turning to their respective homes last
evening and apprising their parents
of their marriage. Although both
families were dumfounded with the
announcement, parental blessings
blessings were bestowed upon both
couples.

The young people met at a recep-
tion given at the home of the gov-
ernor of Illinois, when Miss Burch was
stopping in the East on her way home
from an extended trip, while Miss
Hillman was attending school at Bel-
mont, a fashionable boarding school
in Nashville, Tenn., but was visiting
in Illinois. The engagement of Miss
Hillman and Hall has extended over
a period of several months, but had
not been announced to the family or
friends in California.

LIFE SAVED BY PRESENCE OF MIND

Probably to the quick eye and
steady nerve of Mrs. Earl Harlan at
the wheel of her auto yesterday af-
ternoon may be attributed the fact
that the little 5-year-old daughter of
Mrs. Amanda Erickson, a widow re-
siding at 2471 Solito avenue, of this
city, is still alive and unharmed.
It all occurred at the foot of Wash-
ington avenue, where Mrs. Erickson
was waiting to board a car for home.
A west-bound car had just stopped
and the little one, no doubt thinking
that it was the car they were to take,
suddenly darted out from the side-
walk just as Mrs. Harlan was about
to pass between the car and the side-
walk in her roadster. The crowd
gasped in horror as the little one
was struck down by the fender and
rolled almost beneath the front wheel
before the machine could be stopped.
The child was unharmed save for a
few scratches, but both women were
prostrated for a time by the near
accident.

Harry Hyatt and George Imbach,
two young Richmondites, are back
from a seven weeks' tour of the
southland. They passed through
Oklahoma, Texas and went as far
as Louisiana. They went via the
Southern Pacific and returned by the
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back there and they are glad to be
home.

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past. I can honestly recommend you
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who knows his business, and that
never neglects his patients in the
least. You may refer anyone to me.
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Bay Point will be the destination
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which time the Modern Woodmen of
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Amusement will be provided dur-
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baseball game, and a general good
time is looked forward to at the con-
clusion of the business of the day.

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lor ave., \$1500, with street
work paid.

5-room modern cottage on
2nd st.; price \$2300, \$150
down, bal. like rent.

2 lots on 4th st., bet. Bissell
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present the people of the above
District on the Board of Supervisors
of Contra Costa County.
Primary Election August 25, 1914.
General Election Nov. 3, 1914.

As under the existing law the elec-
tion for County Offices is non-parti-
san, I propose to base my candi-
dacy upon a determination to act
as an official in a non-partisan man-
ner and not to be swayed in my of-
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NOTICE TO WAR VETERANS.

In order to obtain exemption of
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provided in Section 13 of Article XIII
of the Constitution of the State of
California, it will be necessary to
apply in person at the County Asses-
sor's office, Martinez, Cal., before the
20th day of March, 1914 (and each
year thereafter) and swear to the
proper Affidavit of Exemption. In
making this application it will be
necessary to present your honorable
discharge. The applicant shall be
entitled to exemption only on prop-
erty within the County in which he
or she is a resident; EXCEPT in
those cases, where the value of the
applicant's property is less than
\$1000. If through any physical dis-
ability you are unable to appear at
the Assessor's Office, notify the As-
sessor and a Deputy Assessor will be
sent to your residence, with the prop-
er affidavit of exemption.

GEORGE O. MEESE,
2-19-4-15 Assessor.

NOTICE TO VOTERS
A new and complete registration
of voters is required by law during
the year 1914.

Registration closes for the pur-
pose of voting for school trustees,
on March 3rd, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at mu-
nicipal elections, on March 13th,
1914.

For the purpose of voting at the
primary election, on July 25th,
1914.

For the purpose of voting at the
General Election, on October 3rd,
1914.

You may register with the County
Clerk or any of his deputies.
Dated: January 22nd, 1914.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa
County, State of California.

The following are registration
deputies:

A. C. Faris, City Hall, Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, City Treasurer's
office, Richmond.

Geo. K. Drew, Point Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald
avenue, Richmond.

Katherine Zimmerman, 422 C.
street, Richmond.

May D. Neill, 154 Washington
street, Richmond.

H. H. Turley, 724 South Thir-
tieth street, Richmond.

Nannie L. Nesbitt, 621 Bissell
avenue, Richmond.

W. H. Johnston, Stage
D. A. Knowles, 340 Twentieth
street, Richmond.

F. J. Frost, 517 Ripley avenue,
Richmond.

C. B. O'Hara, 434 Fourth St.,
Richmond.

Anna Belle Jarvis, 544 Twentieth
St., Richmond.

N. M. Blankenship, 528 Third St.,
Richmond.

F. H. Eggerth, 519 Fourteenth
St., Richmond.

Arthur H. Taylor, Winehaven.
C. W. Luckett, Point Richmond.

W. F. Pettillon, Richmond.
Geo. E. Schram, 422 Macdonald
avenue, Richmond.

Geo. E. Valencia, San Pablo.
W. F. Huber, Stage Junction.

F. J. White, Rust.
B. B. Pierce, Park Place, Rich-
mond.

W. H. Williams, Giant.
E. C. Ebsen, Pinole.

E. M. Downer, Pinole.
J. A. Frazer, Pinole.

Zittella Buckley, Pinole.
A. M. Ashenfelter, Hercules.

Mrs. Lucia Robison, Pinole.
Mrs. Marie Smith, Rodeo.

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ald avenue, Richmond.

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rett avenue, Richmond.

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OPERATTA CAST TO HAVE PARTY

The assembly room of the local high school will this evening be the scene of a gay party, when the complete cast of the "Windmills of Holland" will lay aside their cue books for once and join in a social time. Over fifty are in the Dutch operetta, including the main characters, chorus girls and fancy dancers, so that a most delightful time is anticipated by the members of the cast and their friends. A program has been planned, following which dancing will while away the evening. "Pop" Price will make his appearance on the floor in a baby's bib, and various other star actors of the operetta will be in costume.

EDDIE WILBUR OPERATED ON.
Eddie Wilbur, young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilbur, was operated on for a nose and throat affliction yesterday by Dr. C. R. Blake. The patient is expected to completely recover within ten days. The operation was performed at the Craven Hospital. The lad resides at the corner of Clinton avenue and Eleventh street.

Of course you read the Classified ads in the News.

SCOOP

THE CUB
REPORTER

This argument started way back in Eve's time

By "HOP"



TEACHERS GATHER NEXT MONTH AT MARTINEZ

A meeting of the principals and rural teachers of the Contra Costa schools has been called by County Superintendent W. H. Hanlon to be held in Martinez on Saturday afternoon, April 4, at 3 o'clock. Two important topics are to be discussed, the first being a plan to unload the

course of study of a number of subjects generally considered to be obsolete and the second to provide some substitute for the graduation examinations which are conceded to be in most instances unfair and not a proper way to determine the student's knowledge of the studies.

BASEBALL YARNS SCRIBBLED BY "FANATIC"

Statements to the effect that the second team of the Spokane Northwestern League was to be sent here to play Richmond Sunday instead of the first team, are branded as false by the local management. The club that played the Sacramento Coast League team a 4 to 2 game recently is the aggregation that Mike Lynch will send against the locals.

Lynch yesterday sent over the lineup that will battle here Sunday, and after the dyed-in-the-wool fans and fannies who follow the ballplayers as regularly as they eat, give the lineup the once over they will come to the definite conclusion that Lynch is sending over a crew of real ball players and not a squad of scrubs. And he will need a real club to get by the Standard Oilers.

The lineup follows:
Powell, left field; Butler, shortstop; Wagner, second base; Lewis, center field; Kelly, first base; Wuffli, third base; Baker, right field; Shea, catcher; Smith, pitcher; Sharon, pitcher.

Powell, Wagner, Lewis, Wuffli and Shea are all ex-Coast Leaguers, who went up to the Northwest on trades. The best of the boys, with the exception of Sharon, were grabbed from C and D leagues. Sharon pitched last season for Burlingame, and while with the club from down the peninsula looked so good that a scout recommended him to Shea, who is of the opinion that he is one of the finds of the season.

Automobilists, have the carbon removed from your cylinders by oxygen at Kershner & Conn's Garage, 332 Seventh st. Price \$3. 3-5-1m

TO THE PEOPLE OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Superior Judge of Contra Costa County.
Primary Election August 25, 1914.
General Election November 3, 1914.

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FUTURE DOINGS

March 28—Whist party by Pythian Sisters at Pythian Castle. Score cards 50 cents. Refreshments and dancing.

March 27—Dance given by Lincoln Homesteaders No. 265, at A. O. U. W. Hall. Schwartz orchestra.

March 28—April Fool dance to be given in Sequoia Hall by members of the Sequoia Club.

March 28—Whist party by Contra Costa Temple, Pythian Sisters. Refreshments and dancing.

March 29—Spokane team of the Northwest League to tangle with Richmond team at the First street grounds. Game called at 2:30 p. m.

April 3—First annual ball of Richmond Court No. 4940 I. O. F., in Sequoia Hall. Tickets 50 cents. Ladies free.

April 3—Dance to be given in Sequoia Hall by Independent Order of Foresters.

April 3—"Windmills of Holland." Dutch operetta by the Richmond High School at Lincoln school auditorium. Admission 25 and 50 cents.

April 11—Military ball of Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, in Pythian Castle. Union music. Tickets 50 cents.

April 11—Regular monthly dance to be given by the Kandy Kids at East Shore Park. Music by Pinto. Gentlemen 50 cents. Ladies free. Several boxes of candy will be awarded the holders of the lucky admission numbers.

April 18—Third annual ball of Gustav Vasa Lodge No. 187. Music by Logan's orchestra. Admission 50 cents. Ladies free.

April 18—Dancing party given by Court San Pablo No. 8216, A. O. F. Foresters' Hall, San Pablo.

April 14—Whist party and dance of St. Mark's parish at Pythian Castle for benefit of coming fair.

April 19—Picnic at Grand Canyon Park, given by the Golden West Social Club.

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April 21—Tuesday, whist party by members of Our Lady of Mercy Church.

April 25—Grand vaudeville entertainment and dance in Maple Hall, Third and Ohio streets, by teaching staff of St. Mark's Sunday School for benefit of St. Mark's Church.

May 1, 2, 3—Celebration to be held by Richmond Lodge of Elks in honor of dedicating new home.

May 2—Dance at East Shore Park, under the auspices of the Building Trades and Central Labor Council.

May 9—First annual ball given by the Pullman Fire company at East Shore Park.

May 16—Second annual ball of Contra Costa Temple No. 113 will be given at East Shore Park. Gents, 50 cents; extra lady, 25 cents.

May 28—Social dance given by the Ye Olde Tyme Social Club at East Shore Park. Admission 50 cents.

August 9—Annual picnic to be given at East Shore Park by Richmond Aerie of Eagles.

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Sample Ballot

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS

To vote on the question of the recall of James C. Owens from the office of Member of the Senate of the State of California from the Ninth Senatorial District stamp a cross (X) in the voting square after the word "Yes," or after the word "No." No vote cast shall be counted for any candidate for such office unless the voter also votes on said question of the RECALL of the person sought to be recalled from said office. To vote for a candidate of your selection, stamp a cross (X) in the voting square next to the right of the name of such candidate. All marks except the cross (X) are forbidden. All distinguishing marks or erasures are forbidden and make the ballot void. If you wrongly stamp, tear or deface this ballot, return it to the inspector of election and obtain another.

QUESTION

Shall James C. Owens be recalled from the office of member of the Senate of the State of California from the Ninth Senatorial District.

YES	X
NO	

CANDIDATES

State Senator, Ninth Senatorial District.

Vote for One.

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FOR SALE—Black minorca eggs for setting; only 25c more than store eggs; save this ad. 621 Eighteenth st. 3-24-2t

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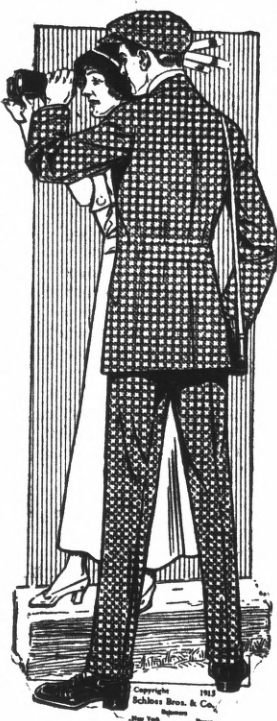
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MATRON IS AGAIN NAMED HEAD OF SISTERS

Quite a tribute was paid to the ability of Mrs. Melaine Schwartz last evening when the Herman Sisters, by a unanimous vote again elected her as president of the lodge. After the election a committee was appointed to arrange for the banquet, which will be held next Wednesday evening when the newly elected officers are installed.

Those elected Wednesday night were: Melaine Schwartz, president; Herman Forwick, vice president; Audine Hansen, recording secretary; Mrs. A. Brasch, F. S.; Mrs. Walton, treasurer; Mrs. Winter, conductress; Mrs. Brunner, O. G.; Mrs. New, I. G.; Mrs. A. Werner and Mrs. Einhart, trustees.

WILL INITIATE CANDIDATES.

A number of candidates will be initiated at a meeting of the local order of Maccabees, to be held on Tuesday night, March 31, in A. O. U. W. Hall. At that time it is expected that nearly every member of the lodge in Richmond will be present.

SPECIAL MEETING.

There will be a special meeting of McKinley Tent No. 63, Richmond Lodge of Maccabees, on the night of March 31 in A. O. U. W. Hall. Initiation. 3-27-3t

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DATE SET FOR WHIST PARTY.

On April 23 the whist party that was to have been given on March 5 by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Engineers, will be held in Fraternal Hall. The affair will be a most elaborate one and at the meeting held by the auxiliary yesterday all plans were completed. The committee that will handle the throttle and engineer the affair to success are Mesdames C. D. Whitcomb, J. B. McCabe, Charles Kennedy and Alex Elsie.

MRS. WILLIAM LUCAS AND MRS. SAM SCOFIELD ENTERTAIN.

A most exclusiveilly bridge party was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. William Lucas, when that popular matron and Mrs. Earl Scofield were hostesses to a large number of friends. The interior of the pretty home was decorated in green shrubbery and spring flowers, while the refreshments served were of the most appropriate character. The prize winners of the afternoon were Mrs. H. D. Chapman, first; Miss I. Russell, second; Miss Bessie Troy, third; Mrs. W. Hamilton, fourth. The other guests of the afternoon were Mesdames D. A. Knowles, J. F. Brooks, V. A. Fenner, G. W. Fredenburg, C. E. Neldecker, E. J. Garrard, H. C. Adair, E. Griffin, A. M. Erwin, W. D. Mason, L. D. Dimm, U. S. Abbott, H. S. Transue, S. F. Jenkins, L. D. Windrem, J. O. Ford, J. F. Eaton, H. C. Chapman, S. De Luna, H. Rial, G. Clark, E. O'Brien, H. C. Axelson, H. C. Biggs, W. Janke, B. X. Tucker, W. Paul, H. Hulin, J. Brothers, J. Gordon, W. Hamilton, E. M. Tilden, J. C. Owens, W. A. Boone, C. Flint, I. B. Innis, E. Gibson, H. Mergenthan, H. Howell, E. C. Stratton, Miss Alice Adair and Miss Bessie Troy and Miss Lillian Russel of Alameda.

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6:20 a.m. 36—Martinez, Tracy, Los Banos, Fresno.....		7:08 a.m.
7:00 a.m. 28—Sacramento, Roseville, Dunsmuir.....		7:48 a.m.
7:20 a.m. 22—Sacramento, Willows.....		8:08 a.m.
8:00 a.m. 42—Callistoga, Santa Rosa, San Ramon.....		8:45 a.m.
8:40 a.m. 84—Martinez, Modesto, Bakersfield.....		9:30 a.m.
9:40 a.m. 60—Concord.....		10:31 a.m.
10:20 a.m. 20—Chicago (Stops for Ogden and East).....		11:08 a.m.
10:40 a.m. 8—Martinez, Modesto, Los Angeles.....		11:30 a.m.
12:00 p.m. 30—Sacramento and Marysville.....		12:52 p.m.
1:00 p.m. 14—Portland, Willows (Stops on Flag).....		1:50 p.m.
3:00 p.m. 18—Sacramento, Yuba City, Oroville.....		3:48 p.m.
3:20 p.m. 52—Martinez, Modesto, Fresno.....		4:12 p.m.
4:00 p.m. 2—Chicago (Stops for Cheyenne and East).....		4:44 p.m.
4:40 p.m. 50—Byron Springs, Modesto, Fresno.....		5:27 p.m.
5:00 p.m. 10—Chicago (Stops for Ogden and East).....		5:52 p.m.
5:00 p.m. 48—Sacramento, Marysville, Chico.....		5:57 p.m.
6:40 p.m. 6—Chicago, Martinez, Stockton.....		7:32 p.m.
8:20 p.m. 16—Portland, Roseville, Chico.....		9:13 p.m.
5:40 p.m. 150—Martinez, San Ramon.....		6:32 p.m.

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Leave Richmond.	— FROM —	Arrive San Francisco.
6:27 a.m. 13—Portland, Willows.....		7:30 a.m.
6:57 a.m. 87—Fresno, Modesto, Martinez.....		7:50 a.m.
7:08 a.m. 23—Tonopah, Sacramento, Suisun.....		8:10 a.m.
8:12 a.m. 41—Livermore, Vallejo.....		9:10 a.m.
9:16 a.m. 81—Tracy, Santa Rosa, Callistoga.....		10:10 a.m.
10:08 a.m. 17—Oroville, Yuba City, Sacramento.....		11:10 a.m.
10:41 a.m. 47—(Stops to let off from north of Davis).....		11:30 a.m.
11:53 a.m. 49—Fresno, Modesto, Martinez.....		12:50 p.m.
12:33 p.m. 3—Chicago, Stockton, Martinez.....		1:30 p.m.
3:31 p.m. 29—Red Bluff, Willows, Sacramento.....		4:30 p.m.
3:37 p.m. 83—Bakersfield, Modesto, Martinez.....		4:30 p.m.
5:12 p.m. 43—Santa Rosa, Callistoga, San Ramon.....		6:10 p.m.
5:27 p.m. 57—Santa Rosa, Callistoga, San Ramon.....		6:30 p.m.
5:27 p.m. 59—Concord, Martinez.....		6:30 p.m.
5:42 p.m. 21—Sacramento.....		6:30 p.m.
7:15 p.m. 7—Los Angeles, Modesto, Martinez.....		8:10 p.m.
8:50 p.m. 27—Red Bluff, Chico, Sacramento.....		10:00 p.m.
9:50 p.m. 209—Colfax, Sacramento.....		10:40 p.m.
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HIGHBORN TALKS ABOUT OWEN'S RECORD

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guardianship laws he believed were right.

He declared himself in favor of the white slave bill and of legislation which would do away with the conditions existing during the hop picking at Wheatland.

Regarding Contra Costa county, he asserted that her development had only begun, and that a man broad enough and fair enough to help her along was needed, and that he would endeavor to do this if chosen.

Franklin Highborn and Dr. Burke also spoke. The text of the former's address we print below. Dr. Burke merely told of the life of Maxza.

Franklin Highborn, author of the "Stories of the California Legislature," spoke in part as follows:

"Ordinarily one may very well hesitate before going into a county other than his own to enter upon discussion of the merits or the demerits of an official of that county.

"But exception may very properly be made in the case of a legislative official. Contra Costa county is as much interested, for example, in the character and record of a senator or assemblyman from Del Norte or from Santa Clara county, as are the people of Del Norte or Santa Clara themselves. For the legislative official is a state official. The whole state, not some particular county of the state, is bound by his acts. His influence for good or for bad reaches far. It covers the whole state.

"The record of the San Francisco delegation in the State Legislature very well illustrates this. For twenty years San Francisco had in the Assembly eighteen out of eighty members, and in the Senate nine out of forty senators. This was equivalent to practically one-fourth of the Legislature. For years this San Francisco delegation, voting practically as a unit, was able to stand in the way of the enactment of laws in which the whole state was interested.

"For many years, for example, the racetrack gamblers prevented passage of a measure to outlaw racetrack gambling. Session after session the large San Francisco vote was the basis of the gambler's campaign of opposition against such measures. But when the people of California had an opportunity to vote on this issue the gamblers were defeated by a majority of over 200,000. San Francisco piled up a majority of 5000 against them. Thus the San Francisco delegation, although it was able to block the enactment of a measure to outlaw racetrack gambling through all its years of opposition not only failed to represent the state in this issue, but failed to represent San Francisco as well.

"The influence of the San Francisco delegation was even more strikingly shown in its opposition to the

free text books amendment. Before the state could secure free textbooks a constitutional amendment to that end had to be adopted. Session after session such a constitutional amendment was introduced. Fourteen votes in the Senate were sufficient to prevent the measure being submitted to the people. The block of nine San Francisco votes, session after session, was cast solidly against it. By getting five votes from outside San Francisco the San Francisco members were able to prevent the people of California from having an opportunity to say at the polls whether or not they wanted free text books. But at the extra session of 1911 the San Francisco delegation failed to win to their support more than three members outside San Francisco, with the result that the amendment was submitted, and the people at the general election of 1912 were given opportunity to vote upon it. They ratified the amendment overwhelmingly. And at San Francisco, which sent a delegation to the Legislature, which session after session had blocked the submission of such an amendment to the people, the vote was 53,000 for the amendment and only 27,000 against it. The San Francisco delegation in the State Senate surely did not represent the state nor San Francisco on this issue. But the whole state had to suffer because of the character of the senators and assemblymen which San Francisco was sending to Sacramento.

"Thus the whole state is directly interested in the character of all its legislators. For that reason all California is interested in the recall campaign which is stirring Contra Costa county. Thus, I feel the same liberty to address the people of Contra Costa county on the record of its state senator, as I have to discuss with my neighbors down in Santa Clara county the records of our own state legislators.

"I am not here tonight to criticize Senator Owens. It is not my purpose to attempt to justify him, or to condemn him. That is for you to do with your votes at the polls. But I am here to show briefly his own record as a member of the fortieth session of the Legislature, and to that I shall confine myself.

"The charge has been brought against Senator Owens that he failed to vote on many roll calls. My understanding is that Senator Owens' defense has been that he was absent on committee duty when many of the absent marks were charged against him. If Senator Owens has really made this excuse it is a very poor excuse indeed. Senator Owens was not burdened with any greater committee duty than other senators, nor so much. He was a member of seven committees. But he was not a very important or influential member. Other senators were on as many committees as Senator Owens, and even important committees. But these did not, because of their committee duties, find it necessary to be absent when important votes were taken.

"Senator Kehoe of Humboldt, for example, was on as many committees as Senator Owens; some of them exacting more of their members than did the committees on which Senator Owens had membership. But Senator Kehoe, in spite of his exacting committee work, almost always managed to be in the Senate chamber to vote when important roll calls were on. A comparison between Senator Owens' record and that of Senator Kehoe is interesting and suggestive. The tables printed in my review of the 1913 session of the Legislature show for Senator Owens as follows:

Issues.	No. of votes.	For.	Agst.	Ab.
Progressive	17	5	6	6
Moral	13	6	5	2
Labor	19	0	9	0
Interest to women.....	15	6	2	7
	64	17	22	15

"Senator Kehoe, on the same roll calls, made the following record:

Issues.	No. of votes.	For.	Agst.	Ab.
Progressive	17	13	1	3
Moral	13	13	0	0
Labor	19	16	2	1
Interest to women.....	15	12	0	3
	64	54	3	7

"Senator Kehoe is by no means the senator who best serves the purpose of our illustration. His name was taken at random. For example, Senator Butler of Los Angeles on the same roll calls shows records as follows:

Issues.	No. of votes.	For.	Agst.	Ab.
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This is the same picture that was played at the Savoy Theater, San Francisco, at 25 and 50 cents.

HIGHBORN TALKS

(Continued from Page Six.)
Labor 19 12 7 0
Interest to women.....15 15 0 0
64 57 7 0

"Senator Butler's committee duties were quite as exacting as were those of Senator Owens, but the tables from which these figures were taken show that Senator Butler was present and voting every time. You will note that Senator Butler voted seven times against labor policies. But he voted. His constituents know where he stands on these policies. They have a right to know. But you have no knowledge of how your own senator stands on ten of these important measures. There is no record to go by. He did not vote.

"Much has been said about Senator Owens' promise to labor to vote for certain policies and his failure to keep those promises. In my judgment, any citizen has the moral right to demand of a candidate for legislative office where he stands on issues upon which he is called to pass. The candidate has equal right to make his position clear. I can understand very well how with additional information, a senator or assemblyman may very properly change his attitude after election. But his reasons for the change should be so clear to himself that he will have no difficulty in making them clear to his constituents, so clear that they will justify his course. The people of this community elected Senator Owens on the understanding that he was to take a certain definite stand on given issues. It is alleged that he failed to fulfill his pledge. If that be true, Senator Owens owes it to you that he make clear his reasons for a change of attitude. He owes it to himself that he make this explanation to you. It is your right to demand it. And then it is your right to say with your votes whether the reasons which Senator Owens may present justify his change. One of the reasons which I understand Mr. Owens' friends advance for him against the recall movement which has been inaugurated against him is that by his acts in the Legislature he offended powerfully entrenched liquor interests.

"For the life of me I cannot understand why the liquor interests should oppose Senator Owens for any act of his while a member of the Legislature.

"I remarked this to one of the senator's strongest supporters. This supporter immediately quoted the two-to-six saloon closing law which Senator Owens introduced.

"Senator Owens did introduce this measure. Under it saloons are required to remain closed from 2 until 6 o'clock in the morning. But the liquor interests, aside from the merely groggery element, did not oppose the bill in that form very seriously. The liquor interests did, however,

most strenuously oppose the measure as Senator Owens had originally introduced it. The original bill prohibited the sale of liquors between the hours of 1 and 5 in the morning. The measure in that form met serious opposition. When the bill came up in the Senate for passage, Senator Regan of San Francisco offered an amendment to change the hours of closing from 1 to 5 to from 2 to 6. The amendment was defeated by a vote of 15 to 24. But astonishing as it may seem, we find Senator Owens among the fifteen voting for this saloon amendment.

"But this is not all. One of the most important features of the fight over this bill was the delay after its passage in the Senate before it was sent to the Assembly. Ordinarily, when a bill passes the Senate it goes to the Assembly within a few hours. But this measure was held up under a motion to reconsider. Under the Senate rules reconsideration would have to be decided on the next legislative day, unless reconsideration was delayed. In this case we find reconsideration delayed day after day until April 9. The measure had passed the Senate on March 27, so that for nearly two weeks the bill was held back from final action. And each day's delay increased the likelihood of the measure's defeat.

"Senator Owens certainly did not show great ability in forcing this bill through the Senate. The amendment, supported by the liquor interests was defeated in the Senate, but the bill was, by a narrow margin, amended in the Assembly very much as the liquor interests wanted it amended; that is to say, the hours of closing were made from 2 to 6 instead of from 1 to 5. The Senate, which had once rejected this amendment, accepted it, and the bill became a law in the form which the saloon interests had urged.

"Senator Owens also introduced in the Senate the liquor interests' bill intended to break down the local option law. This measure, known as Senate bill 1017, permitted the sale of liquor in hotels in dry territory. It struck at the weakest spot in the local option measure. The bill failed of passage. It is interesting to note in this connection that the identical bill was introduced in the Assembly by Mr. Ryan of San Francisco. It will be seen that the liquor interests have no quarrel with Senator Owens. It is not reasonable to suppose that they are back of the recall that has been invoked against him.

"It has been said in Senator Owens' behalf that he cast his vote for the redlight abatement act. This is true. He did vote for the redlight abatement act. But it is equally true that Senator Owens voted for the Beban resolution, which provided for an impractical investigation of the whole social evil problem. It was recognized at the time that if this resolution were taken seriously that it became a grave question whether the abatement act would get through the Legislature. When the resolu-

tion was adopted the San Francisco Bulletin said of the situation:

"On the face of it, there is nothing in Senator Beban's plans for the investigation that would interfere with the passage of the abatement bill. The vote on his resolution is significant only because it was opposed by all the most active champions of the abatement act. They lost the first skirmish, and opponents of the bill are now for the first time hopeful of defeating it."

In conclusion, Mr. Highborn read from tables showing Senator Owens' record on important measures which were before the last session of the Legislature.

"Regardless of the outcome of this recall election," said Highborn, "if it teaches Senator Owens and other members of the Legislature their responsibility, the effort will be worth while. And it will be even more worth while if it teach the people their responsibility."

FEATURE FILMS AT RICHMOND THEATRE

Once again the Famous Players' Film Company has immortalized one of the greatest successes of the legitimate American stage by presenting it in four reels of motion pictures, entitled, "The Pride of Jennico," which will be seen at the Richmond Theater today only.

"The Pride of Jennico" is a stirring tale of the gallant days of old, of romance and roses and cold steel, when fortune and glory were carved by the sword and daring deeds performed for the smile of a lady fair. It has some very absorbing complications, thrilling climaxes, an enchanting tangle of events that finally end happily and just as the audience would wish.

Each lady patron of the theater will receive a package of the new and delicate "Florozone" perfume, the latest creation in the form of a sachet perfume. Every lady who desires to get any of this perfume is requested to ask the cashier in the box office when they are purchasing tickets.

RICHMOND WILL GET ANOTHER NEW INDUSTRY

Richmond is to have another industry added to the long list already doing business here. This is the Giant Valve and Manufacturing Co., articles for which were filed at the county clerk's office in Martinez yesterday. Negotiations are in progress with a local realty firm for a ten-acre piece of land and it is expected that operations for locating the plant here will be commenced soon. The capital stock was named as \$50,000 and the plant will probably employ in the neighborhood of a hundred men. The plant will turn out valves, castings and general plumbers' metal supplies.

ASSESSOR'S OFFICE.

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Notice to Taxpayers.

All persons, firms, companies, corporations and associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, Martinez, immediately, a statement under oath of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession, or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian, on First Monday of March, 1914, in accordance with the new constitution. Refusal or neglect to make such sworn statement of all property owned or held in trust will subject the person so refusing or neglecting to make such sworn statement to the full penalty of the law.

All property owners should see that their property is correctly described on the assessment roll.

Immediate attention is necessary, as work on the roll has already been commenced. Proper blanks may be had at the Assessor's office or of his deputies.

All statements must be in the Assessor's office on or before the 1st day of May, 1914.

The STATE POLL TAX of Two Dollars and ROAD POLL TAX of Two Dollars each are now due and payable at this office, or to a Deputy Assessor.

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G. O. MEES, County Assessor.

ANNUAL MEETING NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT

On next Tuesday evening the First Presbyterian Church of this city will hold its annual congregational meeting, at which time the work of the past year will be gone over and reports from all departments read. The church is branching out and recently opened a new Sunday school in Barnaman's Hall, east of the Southern Pacific tracks. Fred James is the superintendent and the school meets at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. This will fill a long-felt want in this section.

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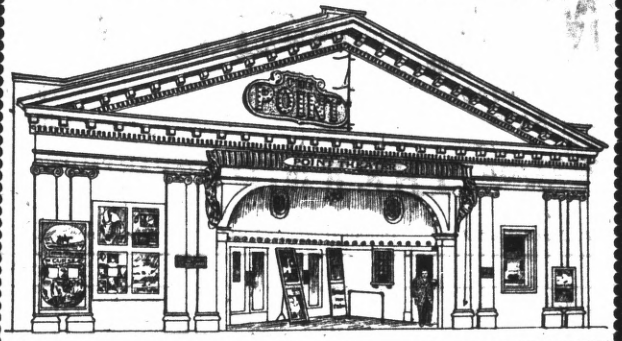
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CANADIANS WILL NOT TRAIN IN RICHMOND

"Brick" Devereaux's Calgary, Canadian League, Club must find another city than Richmond to do their training in during the next weeks before the British subjects are slated to go north and start their season. Devereaux wanted a guarantee of \$250 for his two weeks' stay here. This was deemed exorbitant by the local management, as the Calgaryites, or no other club for that matter, are strong enough drawing cards locally to draw that much money through the box office.

Devereaux at present has his colts pastured in Alameda, where he is putting them through their paces daily.

Last week he wrote to Manager Greathouse asserting that he considered Richmond an ideal place for his crew of youngsters. To train in. Greathouse wrote and asked him what guarantee he wanted. When he got an answer yesterday to the effect that Devereaux wanted a \$250 guarantee for two games, the crusher was put on the whole proposition.

Devereaux's further plans have not been announced, but it is thought he will be able to make some city in this section think his way. The peppery little ball player is some advertiser, and wherever he takes his crew he will put that place on the baseball map strong.

TELEGRAPH THEIR MARRIAGE HOME

Quietly slipping out of town, without taking their many friends into the secret, William H. Henchey and Edna Flynn, both of Richmond, hid themselves to the clerk's office in San Rafael yesterday, where they obtained a marriage license. Shortly before noon the knot was tied that made the happy couple man and wife.

No inkling of the important event reached Richmond until early last evening, when L. R. Jackson, one of the groom's friends, received a telegram announcing the marriage of the popular couple. It was not stated in the telegram when the couple would return here. When they do their many friends are planning a chivari.

Henchey is in the employ of the Standard Oil Company. He has resided in Richmond for a number of years, and his cheerful disposition and pleasing personality have made him a well liked young man. He came here from Philadelphia.

The bride has resided in Richmond for some time. She is a native of California and has a wide circle of friends throughout Richmond and Contra Costa county.

Miss Katherine Frymire of this city writes home cheerily from Riverbank where she is teaching school. Her open-air school has long since passed the experimental stage and is proving a big success in every way.

ELKS TOOTH CAST IS PICKED BY COACH

The cast for the "Elk's Tooth," which will be staged on May 1 and May 2 by the Richmond Lodge of Elks has been picked. It follows:

Captain Blowhard of the Steam Yacht Sea Queen, T. Joy.

Bowlin Knott, first officer, O. Dietrich.

Griddle, steward of the Sea Queen.

Will I. Strand, manager of the Garden of Roses Opera Co., Herbert Lang.

Caroline Winnerway, prima donna of the Garden of Roses Co., Miss Ella La Selle.

Easy Tyme, an American literary hobo, H. C. Chapman.

Wienie Wurst, a German-American tourist, J. Sneer.

Chief Cookem Quick, a cannibal warrior, Earl Morgan.

Michael Patrick Finnegan, secretary to the King, C. A. Donnelly.

Hi Mogul, ruler of Kokomo Island, Frank Gordon.

Carmine, a belle of Kokoma, Miss Etta Olson.

Princess May, daughter of the King, Mrs. E. M. Ferguson.

PETITION IS OUT TO STOP CITY HALL MOVE

What action, if any, the council will take upon the petition now being circulated, asking that it rescind its action of last Monday night relative to the city hall removal, is hard to glean, but from rumors floating about the whole matter will be cleared up in a very few weeks, as it is understood that the Board of Education will not under any circumstances permit the school to be removed.

The fact that the school board took no action on Wednesday night, has added color to the stories going the rounds that the whole scheme is merely an advertising one, and that the board is intending to transfer the city hall from place to place so that real estate values can keep booming.

It is also strongly rumored that the council will take another step towards the city hall matter in the very near future. It is said that no further attempt will be made to carry out the action of the board.

Miss Caroline Bedwell, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Eva Hendricks of Healdsburg, returned to Richmond yesterday for her spring vacation. Both are attending the San Jose Normal School and will return to school on April 6.

PYTHIAN SISTERS PREPARING FOR BIG PARTY

Elaborate preparations are being made by the Contra Costa Temple of Pythian Sisters, which meets tomorrow evening in Pythian Castle, and who will hold the long anticipated whist party. The lady's and gentleman's first prize will be tickets to Mount Tamalpais, while the second prizes will be tickets to the Oakland Orpheum.

There are to be numerous other prizes, some of which are on display in a local store window. Refreshments will be served and dancing indulged in until a late hour.

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